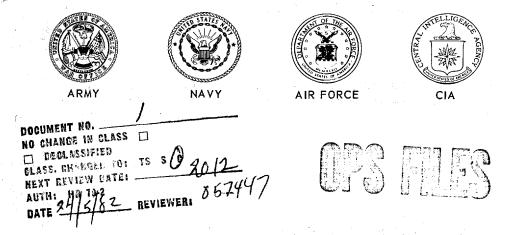
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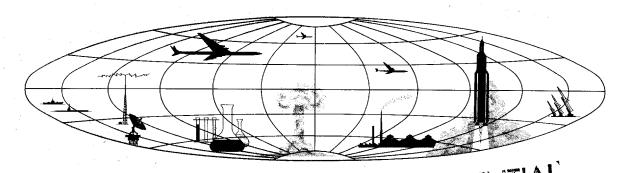
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THE FOLLOWING INFORMATION REPRESENTS A PRELIMINARY ANALYSIS OF AERIAL PHOTOGRAPHY FROM BRASS KNOB MISSION 3406, DATED 6 FEBRUARY 1963. THE NUMBER APPEARING AT THE END OF THE HEADER LINE IS THE COMOR TARGET NUMBER.

-MISSILES-

25X1D

SANTA BARBARA SUSPECT MISSILE ACTIVITY 2012N 07634W

NO APPARENT MILITARY OR MISSILE-RELATED ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

25X1D

MANZANILLO SAM SITE 2018N 07706W

SIX LAUNCHERS IN REVETMENTS, GUIDANCE RADAR REVETTED, 8 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS.

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MANATI SAM SITE 2113N Ø77Ø2W

SITE CONTAINS 6 LAUNCHERS (ONE REVETTED), AND 6 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS IN HOLD AREAS. GUIDANCE AREA APPEARS OCCUPIED AND IS BEING REVETTED.

25X1D

ESMERALDA SAM SITE 2155N Ø7813W

SITE CONTAINS 6 REVETTED LAUNCHERS, ONE TRANSPORTER WITH CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE IN ONE LAUNCH REVETMENT, 7 SETS OF BOGIE WHEELS, 5 CANVAS-COVERED MISSILE TRANSPORTERS IN HOLD AREAS, 11 PRIME MOVERS, AND OCCUPIED REVETTED GUIDANCE AREA.

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VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2104N 07700W

NO APPARENT CHANCE SINCE

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MALDONADO SAM SITE 2012N 07528W

SIX LAUNCHERS, 7 TRANSPORTERS, AND GUIDANCE AREA VISIBLE. OBLIQUITY PRECLUDES FURTHER INTERPRETATION.

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CAMAGUEY AIRFIELD SAM SITE 2122N Ø775ØW

2 NM SSE OF CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD AT 21-22-55N Ø77-50-10W.
SITE CONTAINS 6 UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS (5 WITH MISSILES), COMPLETE, BUT UNREVETTED GUIDANCE AREA, AND 7 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS IN HOLD AREAS. SUPPORT AREA CONTAINS 10 MISSILE TRANSPORTERS WITH PRIME MOVERS, 4 BUILDINGS, 4 LARGE AND 2 SMALL TENTS, AND 8 SETS OF BOGIE WHEELS.

25X1D

HOLGUIN SAM SITE 2052N 07627W

SITE CONTAINS 6 UNREVETTED LAUNCHERS, 7 PROBABLE TRANSPORTERS, AND OCCUPIED GUIDANCE AREA.

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-AIRFIELDS-

CAMAGUEY INTERNATIONAL AIRFIELD 2125N Ø7751W

AIRCRAFT -- 3 FAGOT/FRESCO AND TWO LIAISON-TYPE.

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LOS CANOS AIRFIELD 2004N 07509W

AIRCRAFT - NONE OBSERVED.

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BAYAMO EAST AIRFIELD 2023N 07638W

AIRCRAFT -- 4 LIAISON-TYPE.

25X1D

-PORTS-

BARACOA PORT 2021N 07430W

NO LARGE VESSELS.

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MANZANILLO PORT 2021N 07707W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.

25X1D

SANTIAGO DE CUBA PORT 2001N 07550W

VESSELS -- 4 FREIGHTERS, 3 COASTAL TANKERS OBSERVED.

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NUEVITAS PORT 2132N Ø7716W

VESSELS -- ONE COASTAL FREIGHTER, ONE LARGE FREIGHTER.

NO MILITARY EQUIPMENT OBSERVED.

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PUERTO PADRE PORT 2113N Ø7632W

NO LARGE VESSELS OBSERVED.

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-MILITARY ACTIVITY-

GUANTANAMO AREA 1 2005N 07523W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED IN CLOUD-FREE AREAS.

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CAMAGUEY AREA MILITARY CAMP 2121N 07750W

TWELVE MEDIUM TENTS ARE NOW OBSERVED IN THE AREA. NO OTHER APPARENT CHANGE SINCE

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CAMAGUEY AREA, SMALL MILITARY CAMP 2126N Ø7753W VEHICLES -- 19 OBSERVED.

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VICTORIA DE LAS TUNAS, MILITARY CAMP 2054N 07655W

NO APPARENT CHANGE EXCEPT 7 VEHICLES OBSERVED.

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SIBONEY AREA, LANDING BEACH 1957N Ø7542W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED IN CLOUD FREE AREAS.

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PLAYA YATERITAS LANDING BEACH 1958N Ø7457W

NO APPARENT CHANGE.

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MAR VERDE, LANDING BEACH 1957N Ø7557W

NO NEW MILITARY ACTIVITY OBSERVED.

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-STATUS OF OTHER TARGETS-

NO TARGETS COVERED WEST OF 79 DEGREES ON MISSION 3406.

THE FOLLOWING TARGETS COULD BE IDENTIFIED BUT NOT INTERPRETED --

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PEPU (PEPUS), SUSPECT MISSILE ACTIVITY	2016N	07620W
JIGUANI SAM SITE	2Ø21N	Ø762ØW
SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA	2003N	Ø7553W
HOLGUIN AIRFIELD	2Ø48N	Ø7618W
ANTONIO MACEO AIRFIELD	1958N	07550W
MANZANILLO AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2017N	Ø77Ø6W
HOLGUIN AREA, MILITARY CAMP	2Ø53N	Ø7614W

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THE FOLLOWING TARGETS WERE NOT COVERED, OR WERE NOT OBSERVED BECAUSE OF ADVERSE WEATHER OR OTHER CONDITIONS —

CHAPARRA SAM SITE 2107N 07626W 2100N 07541W LOS ANGELES SAM SITE 2213N Ø7853W CHAMBAS SAM SITE 1959N Ø7551W SANTIAGO DE CUBA SAM SITE CIEGO DE AVILA SAM SITE 2142N Ø785ØW CIEGO DE AVILA SAM ASSEMBLY AREA 2151N Ø7844W BANES CRUISE-MISSILE SITE 2058N 07538W 2055N 07542W BANES PORT PUNTA ALEGRE PORT 2223N Ø7847W MOA BAY PORT 2039N 07454W

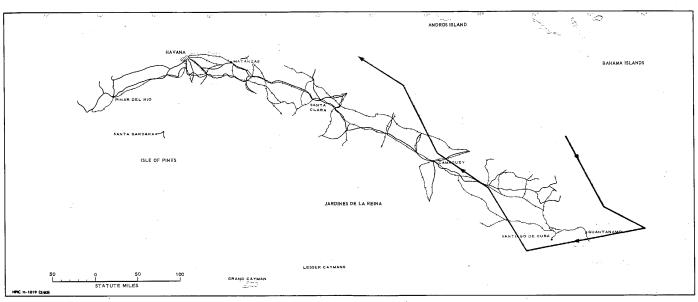
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	EL JUCARO, MILITARY AREA SAN GERMAN AREA, MILITARY CAMP SAN GERMAN, MILITARY ACTIVITY	2051N 07543W 2029N 07559W 2025N 07602W
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	NICARO, LANDING BEACH	2042N 07533W
	MAYARI ARRIBA, MILITARY INSTALLATION	2029N 07530W
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